

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY PORT MORESBY

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1627

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E.O. 11652: NA

TAGS: OEXC, SCUL, PP

SUBJ: EXCHANGE VISITORS: UPDATING COUNTRY SKILLS LIST

REF: A. STATE A-2803, B. PORT MORESBY 0662

1. EMBASSY HAS NOW RECEIVED THE PNG DIPLOMATIC NOTE DESCRIBED  
REFTEL B. THE TEXT FOLLOWS.

2. "THE DFAT PRESENTS ... AND HAS THE HONOUR TO REFER TO  
THE EMBASSY'S NOTE NUMBER 32 REGARDING THE RETURN AND  
RESIDENCE OF GOVERNMENTALLY FINANCED EXCHANGE VISITORS WHOSE  
FIELD OF SPECIALIZED KNOWLEDGE OF SKILL IS CONSIDERED  
VITAL TO THE FURTHER DEVELOPMENT OF PAPUA NEW GUINEA.

3. "THE DEPARTMENT HAS FURTHER THE HONOUR TO INFORM THE  
EMBASSY THAT THERE IS A POLICY THAT PAPUA NEW GUINEA  
NATIONALS WHO GO ABROAD ON SUCH TRAINING SCHEME WOULD BE  
REQUIRED TO SIGN AN UNDERTAKING TO RETURN TO PNG AFTER  
COMPLETION OF THEIR PROFESSIONAL STUDIES OR TRAINING.

4. "PNG WOULD NEED ASSISTANCE IN POST-GRADUATE STUDIES,  
ATTACHMENT TO INDUSTRIAL FIRMS AND GENERAL IMPROVEMENT OF  
PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS OF PNG NATIONALS. APART FROM THESE,  
SPECIFIC SKILLS CONSIDERED VITAL TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF  
THIS COUNTRY WOULD BE:

MANPOWER CLASS "A": TOWN PLANNERS, CIVIL ENGINEERS,  
ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS, MEDICAL ENGINEERS, CHEMICAL  
ENGINEERS, AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERS, SURVEYERS, CHEMIST,  
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HORTICULTURIST, DENTIST, PHARMACIST, ACCOUNTS, AUDITORS.

MANPOWER CLASS "B": NURSES, X-RAY OPERATORS, MEDICAL TECHNICIANS, DRAFTSMEN, MOST TYPES OF LABORATORY ENGINEERING TECHNICIANS, FORESTRY EXTENSION WORKERS, NON-PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTANT, PILOTS, NAVITATOR, FLIGHT ENGINEER, RADIO COMMUNICATION OPERATORS.

5. "FURTHER LISTS WOULD BE PROVIDED IF THESE ARE AVAILABLE IN THE FUTURE."

6. COMPLIMENTARY CLOSE.  
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